

AN OVERVIEW OF CAREERS IN SPACE



49K

... people work
in the UK Space industry.

The Space industry is going through significant growth with nearly 2,000 new jobs created since 2021 in the UK.

10%

...of the Space industry
workforce are aged 18-24.

With more jobs opening up in the Space sector there is the constant opportunity for young people to join.

1590

...companies in the UK
work in the Space industry.

From working with satellites, to predicting major disasters, to launching rockets, there are lots of different jobs and sectors within Space.

5684

...people employed in Space
and satellite roles in
Surrey and Hampshire.

Examples of employers in and around our region include:
In Space Missions - Surrey
Space & Satellite Technology -
LENA Space - Earth-i.

(Lightcast 2023)

£49K

...average wage earned.
(Lightcast, 2023)

Roles in this industry pay
above the national average.

(All data obtained from [Lightcast.io](https://lightcast.io)
and [Space Sector Skills Survey 2023](#))

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...top skills you need to work
in the Space industry are:

- Problem solving
- Attention to detail
- Teamwork
- Communication
- Flexibility
- Creativity
- Innovation
- IT skills